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WATERPROOF, BREATHABLE ARTICLES OF APPAREL

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Background of the Invention

This is a Continuation-In-Part application of co-pending application Serial No. 09/384,938 filed August 27, 1999, *now abandoned*.

Field of the Invention

The present invention relates generally to articles of apparel. More particularly, the invention concerns improved articles of apparel used to cover the wearer's extremities such as an improved, waterproof sock that includes a novel sealing cuff and a body portion that will permit perspiration to transpire through the sock, but will keep water from external sources away from the wearer's foot.

Discussion of the Prior Art

Various attempts have been made in the past to produce breathable, waterproof articles of apparel such as gloves and socks that will keep the wearer's hands and feet dry and at the same time permit perspiration to transpire through the article. Materials, which will accomplish this desired function, have been known for sometime. Among the most successful waterproof, breathable articles of apparel ever developed are those developed by the present inventor and described in